

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO**

Civil Action No. 1:18-CV-03112-RBJ-STV

SEAN SLATTON,
Plaintiff,

v.

TODD HOPKINS,
BRANDON BARNES,
JOHN HUTTO,
CITY OF FORT COLLINS
Defendants.

**UNOPPOSED JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO SUBMIT
RESPONSIVE PLEADING TO PLAINTIFF'S FOURTH AMENDED COMPLAINT**

The Defendants, by and through their respective attorneys, hereby submit the following unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to Submit a Responsive Pleading to Plaintiff's Fourth Amended Complaint, and in support state as follows:

1. Counsel for Defendant Hopkins conferred on behalf of the Defendants with counsel for the Plaintiff, who does not oppose the relief sought in this Motion. All of the Defendants join in this Motion.

2. The Plaintiff's Fourth Amended Complaint became the operative pleading in this case on December 19, 2019. [ECF 91]. Under F.R.C.P. 15, the deadline for the Defendants to submit responsive pleadings is January 2, 2020.

3. Both of Officer Hopkins counsel are on vacation the week of December 23, 2019. Further, based upon the filing date by Mr. Slatton, the time to confer, prepare and file responsive pleadings spans several holidays.

4. In order to be able to meaningfully confer and comply with the Court's Practice Standards, the Defendants require an extension of time of an additional fourteen days or, up to and including, January 16, 2020, in which to submit responsive pleadings.

5. The undersigned's certify that they have served a copy of this Motion on their respective clients.

6. None of the parties nor the Court will be prejudiced by the brief delay sought in this Motion given the holidays and the proceedings to date, and the extension will allow the parties time to confer substantively on any dispositive motions after the holiday break, but before any filings.

7. This is the first extension requested by Defendants specifically as to their responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Fourth Amended Complaint.

WHEREFORE, the Defendants respectfully requests that the Court extend their deadline to submit responsive pleadings to Plaintiff's Fourth Amended Complaint of up to and including January 16, 2020.

Respectfully submitted this 19th of December, 2019.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 19th day of December, 2019, I electronically filed the foregoing **UNOPPOSED JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO SUBMIT RESPONSIVE PLEADING TO PLAINTIFF'S FOURTH AMENDED COMPLAINT** with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following at their e-mail addresses:.

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